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MEDICAL EXAMINATION INSTRUCTIONS

You are required to have a medical examination in connection with your immigrant visa application to the United States. You should, therefore, make an appointment for a medical examination with one of the doctors (listed over). Please bring your passport(s), 3 recent photographs, and your vaccination records. It is important that you take your vaccination records to the panel physician examination. It is required that the panel physician administers the appropriate vaccines.

If you do not speak English fluently, please take an adult interpreter with you.

Each person immigrating, regardless of age, is required to have a medical examination in connection with the immigrant visa application. An X-ray examination for tuberculosis and a serological test are required for each visa applicant who has reached his or her 15th birthday. In some circumstances, medical examiners may require these tests of persons younger than 15.

As of January 4, 2010, HIV infection is no longer defined as a communicable disease of public health significance. Testing for HIV infection is no longer required as part of the US immigration medical screening process. HIV infection no longer requires a waiver for entry into the United States. The CDC determined that while HIV infection is a serious health condition, it is not a communicable disease that is a significant public health risk for introduction, transmission, and spread through casual contact.

In most cases the examining physician will return the completed medical report with the results of the chest X-Ray and blood test directly to you. You must bring the medical examination results with you to your formal visa interview. Unless otherwise indicated by the panel physician or by this office, the X-Ray film (or CD) is not required on the day of interview but must be taken to the U.S., retained for your own personal records, and brought to any follow-up medical appointments in the U.S. In certain circumstances the examining physician will send your test results directly to the Consulate.

Medical examination results can take up to two weeks to be completed. They can only be conducted by one of the authorized panel physicians listed over the page. No other physician may perform this examination. Medical examinations **cannot** be performed in the U.S. An immigrant visa will not be issued without the results of a full medical examination.

Medical reports are valid for six or twelve months from the date of examination, depending on the examination results. Your medical report must be valid at the time of your entry into the US. If the report is valid less than 6mths, your visa will be limited to match the validity of your medical report.

All medical fees are to be paid in cash only on the day of the examination. The U.S. government does not pay medical fees. The medical forms will be provided by your chosen panel physician.

NEW SOUTH WALES AND ACT

Dr. Anthony Millar, 3rd Fl., Suite 1, 187 Macquarie St. Sydney, NSW 2000. (02) 9232-3932

Dr. Joseph N. Waks, George St. Medical Centre, 1st Floor, 308 George Street, Sydney, NSW 2000. (02) 9239-1677

Dr. David Lee, Red Hill Shopping Centre, La Perouse Street, Red Hill, ACT 2603. (02) 6295-0966

QUEENSLAND

Drs. Ross Taylor, Brian Kable & James Yates, Anzac Sq., Medical Center, 280 Ann Street, Brisbane. (07) 3229-1344

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Dr. David Miller, 183 Tynte Street, N. Adelaide, SA 5006. (08) 8267-5600

VICTORIA

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Dr. Augustine Matarazzo, The Medical Centre, 69 Bath Street, Alice Springs, NT 0871. (08) 8952-2000

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Dr. John Bateman, Prime Health Group, Level 1,160 St. George's Terrace, Perth, WA 6000. (08) 9321 9332

Dr. Elizabeth Sinclair, Mill Street Medical Practice, Ground Floor, 5 Mill Street, Perth, WA 6000. (08) 9322 4788

and Altone Medical Centre, 2 Hull Way, Beechboro, WA 6063. (08) 9279 1079

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The applicants must have 3 recent photographs of themselves, with the likenesses confirmed with official documents containing the applicants' photographs. One photo will be presented at the time of the panel physician contact, and will be stapled to the front of the Medical Examination for Immigrant or Refugee Applicant (DS-2053). The other two will be separately attached to the requests for blood collection, and for Chest X-ray.

SECTION I: PRINCIPAL APPLICANT TO COMPLETE THIS SECTION

My passport, or other official identification document on which my photograph is attached, contains the following information:	
Full name:	
Passport Number:	Date of issue:
Place of issue:	Nationality:
(Applicant's signature - in presence of panel physician) (Date)	
SECTION II: TO BE COMPLETED BY PHYSICIAN, X-RAY & BLOOD TEST SUPERVISORS	
I am satisfied that the person being examined is the bearer of the passport or other document described above.	
Signature of examining panel physician:	
Signature of X-Ray supervisor:	
Signature of laboratory technician:	
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PHOTO #1: Attach to Form DS-2053 PHOTO #2: Attach to your referral form PHOTO #3: Attach to your referral form	• •